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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 31, 2007

Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond to the Official Action of August 31, 2007 for one month to December 31, 2007.

Please charge the extension fee of \$120.00 to our credit card set forth in the attached Credit Card Payment Form.

A responsive paper is filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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